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SUBJECT: PROTECTIVE SECURITY - VOICE RADIO

FOR CRO, CEO-R AND PSO

MANILA FOR RCO

REF: BANGKOK OM DATED DEC 5, ,974

1. IT IS INDEED DISAPPOINTING TO LEARN THAT POST HAS EXPERIENCED DIFFICULTY WITH THE NEW PR-36 PERSONAL PORTABLES. OF THE MANY HUNDREDS OF PERSONAL PORTABLES SENT OUT TO SOME 160 F.S. POSTS YOUR MEMO OF COMPLAINT REMAINS UNIQUE.

2. OC HAS DETERMINED FROM MANY YEARS OF FIELD EXPERIENCE THAT THE COSTLY SELCAL OPTION IS SELDOM USED. IT WAS THE GENERAL CONCENSUS DURING A RECENT RCO SEMINAR THAT SELCAL EQUIPPED RADIOS WERE NOT NEEDED AND WOULD NOT BE PROCURED.

3. THE MATTER OF SELCAL NOTWITHSTANDING, OC IS ANXIOUS TO
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RECTIFY ANY EQUIPMENT PROBLEMS AND PROVIDE THE POST THE

TYPE OF EQUIPMENTS NECESSARY TO DO THE JOB. WE THEREFORE PROPOSE THAT YOU RETURN PART OR ALL OF YOUR NEW PR-36 EQUIPMENT LESS CHARGERS AND ANCILLARY EQUIPMENTS TO OC/PE. EXPEDITIOUS ACTION WILL BE TAKEN TO EXCHANGE YOUR RADIOS WITH SELCAL EQUIPPED UNITS AND RECRYSTAL ON YOUR FREQUEN-

CIES. IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT THIS TASK INCLUDING TRANSPORTATION WILL REQUIRE FROM 30 TO 45 DAYS. ADVISE.

4. FOR CRO: APPRECIATE THAT YOUR RECENT WORKLOAD HAS PREVENTED YOUR TOTAL COMPLIANCE WITH DEPT AIRGRAM 1762 DATED MARCH 5, 1974, HOWEVER, YOU UNDOUBTEDLY RECOGNIZE THE NEED FOR GREATER SURVEILLANCE AND PARTICIPATION IN THE INTRA-CITY VOICE RADIO OPERATION AT YOUR POST.

5. FOR CEO-R: YOU ARE REQUESTED TO PROVIDE OC/PE A WRITTEN REPORT ON THE TECHNICAL PROBLEMS EXPERIENCED AND ANY CORRECTIVE ACTIONS TAKEN IN CONNECTION WITH NEW PORTABLE RADIOS.

6. FOR RCO: BECAUSE OF THE SELCAL MATTER BELIEVE THIS IS BEST APPROACH TO PROBLEM. KISSINGER

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